

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

)	Civil Action No. 1:00-2081
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)	Judge Lesley Wells
)	Magistrate Judge Nancy Vecchiarelli
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)	NOTICE OF NON-PARTY UNITED
)	STATES' INTENTION TO OPPOSE
)	PLAINTIFFS' EXPEDITED MOTION
)	TO COMPEL
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Non-Party United States hereby submits this Notice to advise the Court of its intention to file an opposition to Plaintiff's Expedited Motion to Compel [#64] in order to assert the interests of the United States in this matter. Such interests include various governmental privileges with respect to certain documents which are the subject of Plaintiffs' motion to compel. The United States hopes that the Court will afford it an opportunity to be heard on this important issue. To that end, we respectfully note our opposition to Plaintiff's request for an expedited briefing schedule. The United States only became aware of the Plaintiffs' motion on April 9, 2002, when it received a copy from the Plaintiffs via U.S. Mail, and needs at least the full time allotted under

the local rules to obtain clearance to file a motion to intervene for the limited purpose of asserting its privileges and to prepare an appropriate response.

Respectfully submitted,

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing NOTICE OF NON-PARTY UNITED STATES' INTENTION TO OPPOSE PLAINTIFFS' EXPEDITED MOTION TO COMPEL was served by facsimile and First Class Mail, postage prepaid, this 11th day of April, 2002, on:

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